

Table IB3a. Percent distribution of full-time private-sector employees by firm size according to selected characteristics: United States, 1993

Characteristic	All firm sizes	Firm Size <sup>1</sup>						Under 50 employees	50 or more employees
		Under 10 employees	10-24 employees	25-99 employees	100-499 employees	500 or more employees			
Percent Distribution									
United States.....	100.0	15.0	10.4	16.4	16.2	42.0	33.8	66.2	
<b>Industry group</b>									
Agriculture, forestry, and fishing.....	100.0	43.2	20.6	18.9	5.4	*12.0	78.0	22.0	
Mining.....	100.0	6.9	*7.0	12.7	17.5	55.8	19.0	81.0	
Construction.....	100.0	36.3	18.3	27.1	11.6	6.6	70.3	29.7	
Manufacturing.....	100.0	5.4	5.7	13.7	19.0	56.2	17.0	83.0	
Transportation, Communication, and Utilities.....	100.0	7.8	5.7	13.7	12.9	59.9	20.8	79.2	
Wholesale Trade.....	100.0	16.3	14.5	21.6	17.9	29.6	41.8	58.2	
Retail Trade.....	100.0	21.0	13.0	18.8	11.7	35.5	44.1	55.9	
Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate....	100.0	11.7	7.5	14.3	18.9	47.6	25.5	74.5	
Services.....	100.0	16.9	11.9	15.6	16.8	38.7	37.4	62.6	
<b>Ownership</b>									
For profit.....	100.0	15.9	11.0	16.6	15.0	41.5	35.4	64.6	
Incorporated.....	100.0	10.6	10.8	17.7	15.3	45.7	30.3	69.7	
Unincorporated.....	100.0	48.1	12.6	10.1	13.4	15.9	66.5	33.5	
Non-profit.....	100.0	6.4	7.3	16.0	23.0	47.2	22.1	77.9	
Other.....	100.0	7.3	6.6	18.2	20.1	47.8	21.9	78.1	
<b>Age of firm</b>									
Under 5 years.....	100.0	33.8	17.2	19.9	12.8	16.4	62.2	37.8	
5-9 years.....	100.0	26.8	15.0	21.6	15.2	21.4	53.1	46.9	
10-19 years.....	100.0	26.0	17.0	23.2	16.4	17.3	54.7	45.3	
20 or more years.....	100.0	7.6	7.4	13.9	17.1	54.0	22.1	77.9	
<b>Number of locations in firm</b>									
Two or more locations.....	100.0	0.8	2.9	9.0	17.2	70.1	7.6	92.4	
One location.....	100.0	32.0	19.4	25.5	15.0	8.1	65.5	34.5	
<b>Metropolitan area indicator</b>									
Metropolitan area.....	100.0	13.8	10.1	16.2	16.4	43.4	32.2	67.8	
Non-metropolitan area.....	100.0	21.0	11.9	17.6	14.9	34.6	42.4	57.6	
<b>Percent of full-time employees</b>									
Less than 25 percent.....	100.0	11.0	12.8	23.1	19.2	33.9	38.4	61.6	
25-49 percent.....	100.0	19.1	14.0	18.5	14.9	33.4	43.2	56.8	
50-74 percent.....	100.0	20.8	11.2	13.4	13.4	41.2	39.3	60.7	
75 percent or more.....	100.0	13.8	10.1	16.8	16.7	42.7	32.3	67.7	
<b>Whether establishment has union employees</b>									
No union employees.....	100.0	17.9	12.5	19.0	17.2	33.3	40.2	59.8	
Union employees.....	100.0	2.3	3.6	11.5	21.0	61.6	11.9	88.1	
<b>Percent of low-wage employees<sup>2</sup></b>									
50 percent or more of employees are low-wage.....	100.0	32.0	13.1	19.8	16.3	18.7	57.8	42.2	
Less than 50 percent of employees are low-wage.....	100.0	16.3	12.7	20.1	18.4	32.4	39.2	60.8	

<sup>1</sup> Number of employees nationwide as reported by respondent.

<sup>2</sup> Low-wage employees earned less than \$5 per hour or less than \$10,000 per year.

\* Figure does not meet standard of reliability or precision.

NOTE: Estimates in this table are based on a December 31, 1993 reference period.

SOURCE: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Health Statistics, National Employer Health Insurance Survey (NEHIS).

Table IB3a. Standard errors for percent distribution of full-time private-sector employees by firm size according to selected characteristics:  
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Standard errors									
United States.....	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	
<b>Industry group</b>									
Agriculture, forestry, and fishing.....	0.0	3.8	2.9	4.3	1.4	*4.4	4.4	4.4	
Mining.....	0.0	1.4	*2.3	3.3	4.7	5.4	3.4	3.4	
Construction.....	0.0	1.6	1.3	1.8	1.5	1.3	2.0	2.0	
Manufacturing.....	0.0	0.3	0.4	0.6	1.0	1.2	0.7	0.7	
Transportation, Communication, and Utilities.....	0.0	0.6	0.6	1.4	1.2	2.1	1.4	1.4	
Wholesale Trade.....	0.0	0.9	1.0	1.7	1.6	2.0	1.8	1.8	
Retail Trade.....	0.0	0.6	0.6	0.9	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.1	
Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate....	0.0	0.7	0.7	1.3	2.0	2.2	1.4	1.4	
Services.....	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.9	1.2	0.9	0.9	
<b>Ownership</b>									
For profit.....	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5	
Incorporated.....	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.5	
Unincorporated.....	0.0	1.6	0.8	0.8	1.7	1.9	2.0	2.0	
Non-profit.....	0.0	0.4	0.5	1.0	1.3	1.7	1.1	1.1	
Other.....	0.0	1.0	1.3	2.8	3.9	4.0	2.4	2.4	
<b>Age of firm</b>									
Under 5 years.....	0.0	1.4	1.2	1.5	1.6	1.7	2.0	2.0	
5-9 years.....	0.0	1.0	0.9	1.3	1.4	1.7	1.6	1.6	
10-19 years.....	0.0	0.7	0.7	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.2	
20 or more years.....	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.5	
<b>Number of locations in firm</b>									
Two or more locations.....	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.6	0.7	0.3	0.3	
One location.....	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.8	0.8	
<b>Metropolitan area indicator</b>									
Metropolitan area.....	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.4	
Non-metropolitan area.....	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.8	0.7	0.9	0.9	0.9	
<b>Percent of full-time employees</b>									
Less than 25 percent.....	0.0	0.9	1.1	1.7	2.5	2.2	2.0	2.0	
25-49 percent.....	0.0	0.9	0.9	1.4	1.4	1.8	1.6	1.6	
50-74 percent.....	0.0	0.6	0.6	0.7	1.0	1.3	1.0	1.0	
75 percent or more.....	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.5	
<b>Whether establishment has union employees</b>									
No union employees.....	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5	
Union employees.....	0.0	0.3	0.4	0.9	1.6	1.8	0.9	0.9	
<b>Percent of low-wage employees<sup>2</sup></b>									
50 percent or more of employees are low-wage.....	0.0	1.6	1.1	1.6	2.8	1.7	2.4	2.4	
Less than 50 percent of employees are low-wage.....	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.5	

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